
SENATE BILL No. 231

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 16-27-1-2.

Synopsis: Exemption from home health agency licensing. Specifies that community mental retardation and other developmental disabilities centers that provide services through a Medicaid waiver are not home health agencies for licensure purposes.

Effective: July 1, 2003.

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January 9, 2003, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Provider Services.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2002 Regular or Special Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 16-27-1-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2003]: Sec. 2. (a) As used in this
3 chapter, "home health agency" means a person that provides or offers
4 to provide only a home health service for compensation.
5 (b) The term does not include the following:
6 (1) An individual health care professional who provides
7 professional services to a patient in the temporary or permanent
8 residence of the patient.
9 (2) A local health department as described in IC 16-20 or
10 IC 16-22-8.
11 **(3) A community mental retardation and other developmental**
12 **disabilities center (as defined in IC 12-7-2-39) that provides**
13 **services through a Medicaid waiver approved by the United**
14 **States Department of Health and Human Services.**



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